at the law. The civil governor has proof creditors held last night was ended by gentlemer, representing \$12,000,of obligations. Fidel Pierra, editor of Independent, Emilio Junco and Ignacio nirez, lawyers, and Aquilinio Ordonez, a Spanish merchant, were appointed a com-mittee to visit Washington in order to ob-tain a modification of the recent decree which extended the time for collection of ebts. A committee of five prominent Cubans and Spaniards will also present the case to Major General Brooke, military governor general of Cuba. Letters have been received here from holders of mort-gages aggregating \$20,000,000 signifying their adherence to the decisions of the authori-

Hotel Florida, a swell family estabishment here, has been bought by an Eng-It is said an American syndicate will at-Citizens are petitioning the authorities to invite bids for furnishing the city and private consumers with gas. At present there is no competition, and the price of gas is

THE REINA MERCEDES.

Former Spanish Cruiser Sails from Santiago for Norfolk. WASHINGTON, May 13.-The Navy Department was notified to-day that the for- | mospheric conditions did not apparently mer Spanish cruiser Reina Mercedes had hamper the athletes. The performances of sailed from Santiago. She will be brought | Boardman, the young Yale freshman, is reto the Norfolk navy yard and there turned | markable when considered in the light of over by the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking | these conditions. In the 220-yard flat he the captured Spanish ships of any size to the fore, winning what seemed to be a this country. The Mercedes was the ship | he and Burke fought the entire last lap. sunk in the channel at the entrance of Santiago harbor as a means of barring it to the American war ships. She is said to be in fairly good condition. The Mercedes in the finest form and followed by other is about the size of the cruiser Boston. Started Yesterday Morning. SANTIAGO DE CUBA, May 13.-The for-

mer Spanish cruiser Reina Merdedes in good condition left the Windward passage for Newport News this morning. The United States transport MacPherson

yesterday and was compelled to back out to sea for fear of breaking her propeller. A cond attempt to enter the harbor was easily successful. The last portion of the Merrimac that has been obstructing naviion has now been removed. General Guy V. Henry and family, on board the Macleft last night for the United

RIOTOUS IOWA SOLDIERS.

Raided Camp Followers' Stores and Were Sent to Police Station.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 13 .- The Fortyninth Iowa, Colonel Dows, was mustered out here to-day. The regiment is routed by the Georgia & Alabama and Seaboard Air-line, by Ellinor, passing Atlanta Sunday morning and proceeding via Circinnati and Chicago to the West. After being paid off the men raided soda-water stands, were hauled into police barracks in patrol ens and trolley cars. Colonel Dows apared before the recorder in special session this evening and urged that the cases be disposed of at once. This was done and the men were given their liberty after having pald each vender \$1.20 for the stock de-stroyed. The regiment started for the West

Canadian Bank Robbed.

DETROIT, Mich., May 13.-A bank robmanville, near Toronto, Ont. The Standard Bank is the victim and the robbers secured 11,000 of the bank's money, in addition to a quantity of valuables intrusted to the bank for sale keeping by private citizens. Before attacking the bank the robbers went to the ice station and overpowered Henry Metcalfe, the man in charge. They took him with them, while they entered the bank by removing a pane of glass. Then they locked Metcaife up in the station and departed.

Attorney Missing. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 13.-Trafford N. Jayne, a prominent attorney and society and church man, has been missing about ten days. He left the city presumably on s and to-day it became necessary to en his desk when a letter was found stating that his accounts with several esin his charge were wrong and intimating that when the latter was found he would be dead by his own hand.

FORECAST FOR SUNDAY.

Partly Cloudy Weather and Variable Winds-Warmer on Monday.

WASHINGTON, May 13, 8 p. m.-Forecast

warmer Monday; fresh northwesterly winds, becoming variable.

For Illinois-Threatening weather Sunday probably rain Monday; winds shifting to fresh easterly by Sunday night.

For Indiana-Partly cloudy Sunday; probably showers and warmer Monday; variable

Weather conditions and general forecast: The barometer depression which covered the hight has moved eastward over the Atlantic coast States, attended by rain from northern Florida to Maine, and followed by clearing weather, except along the immediate

coast. Another disturbance has appeared tral this evening over northern Colorado. The central valleys and the western lake regions are covered by an area of high barometer, and the barometer is high on the North Pacific coast. Showers have attended a marked fall in temperature in the States of the middle and lower Missouri valley, and light showers have occurred on the North Pacific coast. The temperature is very high over the middle and southern Rocky mountain and southern plateau res, with a maximum of 100 Saturday at ix, Ariz., and maximum temperature ranging from 82 to 86 in Colorado. The inover Nebraska, attended Sunday by rain in the States of the Missouri valley and the middle and northern Rocky mountain re-gions. By Monday the rain area is likely to be carried over the Ohio valley and the lake

Local Observations on Saturday. Bar. Ther. R.H. Wind. Weather. Pre. 7 a. m. .29.98 57 71 N'west. Clear. 7 p. m. .30.19 61 50 N'west. Clear.

Maximum temperature, 64; minimum tem-Comparative statement of temperature and recipitation on May 13: fean

erture since May 1..... 47 Departure since Jan, 1.....-264 C. F. R. WAPPENHANS. Local Forecast Official.

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ATHLETES

HARVARD IN POSSESSION OF THE LONG-FOUGHT-FOR TROPHY CUP.

Good Work by the Cambridge Men on a Heavy Track-Tod Sloan and the Prince of Wales.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 13 .- Harvard won a decided victory over Yale this afternoon in the annual dual athletic games, and onds. as a result comes into permanent possession of the long-fought-for trophy cup, having won the games five times to Yale's three Harvard won to-day by superior force. Despite heavy track and bad weather condition, the time on the whole was good and VIEWS OF CHARLES C. CLARKE, A competition throughout was a credit to both teams. Through the game showers made conditions disagreeable, but at no time were the games delayed by the rain. Except in the long drawn out field events, the atcame down the last twenty-five yards behind Quinian, the Harvard crack, but pulled sure race for Harvard. In the 440-yard dash The crowd fairly went wild as the two sprinters tore up the track, both sprinting men who would have been considered as doing good work under the conditions. Harvard's victory was assured by the outcome of the 200-yard hurdles and the high jump nerve was the running high jump. Yale was outclassed, except with respect to Waller. The Rough Rider did not begin to train for the games until about a week ago and he had worked so hard that he was all but ill. However, he fought beautifully and when the tie between himself and three other set to trying for second place. Ferguson, one of Harvard's men, was not willing to toss for it, so the jumping proceeded and for two trials, unsuccessful in each case, both men jumped. Waller fell twice and had to be lifted to his feet, but insisted on ng until his opponent, who alone rethe result that Waller won third place. Ferguson complimented the veteran warmly on

Summaries: Four-hundred-and-forty-yard dash: Won by Burke, Harvard; Boardman, Yale, sec- ferred stock and one and one-half times this ond; Luce, Yale, third. Time, 49 3-5 seconds. amount in common stock. Witness said he One-hundred - and - twenty - yard hurdles: Won by Fox, Harvard; Fincke, Yale, sec-

One-hundred-yard dash: Won by Blount Yale; Quinlan, Harvard, second; Roche, Harvard, third. Time, 10 1-15 seconds. Harvard: Francis, Yale, second: Robertson, Yale, third. Distance, 39 feet 91/2 inches. One-mile run: Won by Spitzer, Yale; Clyde, Yale, second; White, Harvard, third. Time, 4 minutes 33 1-5 seconds. Half-mile run: Won by Adams, Yale; Brennan. Yale, second; Bush, Harvard, third. Time, 1:57 3-5. Two-hundred-and - twenty - yard hurdles:

Won by Converse, Harvard: Warren, Harsecond; Hallowell, Harvard, third. Time, 25 3-5 seconds. Throwing sixteen-pound hammer: Won by Boal, Harvard; Clark, Harvard, second; Brown, Harvard, third. Distance, 130 feet 7

Two-hundred-and-twenty-yard dash: Won by Boardman, Yale; Quinlan, Harvard, sec-ond; Warren, Yale, third. Time, 22% seconds. Mr. Clarke expressed the opinion that many of the distilleries closed by the trust vard; Harrington, Harvard, second; Eddell, Harvard, third. Distance, 22 feet 3 inches. Running high jump; Won by Rotch, Harvard; Waller, Yale; Wright, Ferguson and the country when the pools first sprang into Morse, of Harvard, all tied for second place. The points divided. Distance, 5 feet 11 inches. mand abroad for American spirits from 1874

TOD SLOAN IN FAVOR.

H. R. H. Congratulates Him and His

Name Is Given to a Race Track. LONDON, May 13.-The smart racing set Sloan now holds the record for the New- ton." market course, which, up to Thursday, was fifty-two winnings and fifty-two losses. The Rowley mile, over which most of Sloan's victories have been achieved, has been christened "Tod Sloan avenue." The Prince of Wales chatted with Sloan in the paddock on Wednesday and congratulated him upon his success. Mr. C. F. Dwyer, son of Michael F. Dwyer, and Mr. Riley Grannan, Tod States immediately. The former is home-For Ohio-Fair Sunday; showers and of the publicity which the newspapers have lost £12,000 on Thursday at Newmarket. At the second day's racing of the Gatwick spring meeting to-day H. V. Long's Edward II won the Princess handicap of 1,000 sovereigns. Tod Sloan rode Lord William Beresford's Jiffy II, 4 to 1 against, and captured second place. In a match liam Beresford's Jiffy II, 4 to 1 against, and captured second place. In a match race of six furlongs for £100 A. J. Schwabe's Dorff-Krein Company, St. Louis. Rowenbery, ridden by S. Loates, beat T. Corn's Shepperton, ridden by Sloan. The betting was 6 to 5 on Shepperton. The Mari-borough stakes of 500 sovereigns was won iake region and the central valleys Friday | by Lord Farquhar's Hadrian. Lord William | for the organization of the United American Beresford's Jolly Tar, 3 to 1 against, ridden by Sloan, was second

The scene that followed the match race was one to recall the victory of the Prince of Wales's Persimmon in the Derby of 1896. The air was for the moment thick with hats and the crowds yelled themselves hoarse. over the middle plateau region, and is cen- Both the jockeys were given ovations by their admirers. A more exciting contest has rarely been seen. Sloan, on Shepperton, made the running, but at the distance Rowan Berry stuck his head in front and kept it there during the most exciting finish witnessed in a long time.

The Withers Stakes. NEW YORK, May 13 .- In spite of the rain there was a large attendance at the Morris Park races, the classic Withers stake for three-year olds, at a mile, being the attraction. In addition the first appearance of Jean Beraud in his three-year-old form was incentive enough for people to come out on cations are that the storm will advance a showery day. In the betting Jean Beraud was a slight favorite over Lothario, who was reported to have done some exceedingly fast miles in his work. At the close of the betting Jean Beraud was a little second choice. The horses got away in perfect order on the first break and before they had gone a sixteenth Jean Beraud was in front going fast and easily. Chasing him were The Bouncer and Filon D'Or, with Lothario close up. The further they went the better Beraud seemed to go and as they rounded in the Withers course he was only loping along under restraint while the others had their heads. As they came in the 0.13 stretch and in the first furlong of the last quarter, it looked as if The Bouncer and Filon D'Or were gaining on Jean Beraud. drive, while the leader was still going very easily. Then Clawson shook the son of His building. The house was not damaged. Highness up a bit and he shot away from the others as if they were selling platers, and won by a couple of lengths, having scarcely turned a hair. It was a hot contest for the place between Filon D'Or and The Bouncer, and the former got it by a head. Summary: Fourth race-Withers, one mile: Jean Beraud, 122 (Clawson), 11 to 10 and 1 to 3, won by two lengths; Filon D'Or, 119 (Pow-

> The Bouncer, 122 (Maher), 20 to 1 and 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:421/2. Prestidigatrice, Alpen and Lothario also ran.

ers), 15 to 1 and 4 to 1, second by a head;

Peter Hegelman Won. NEW YORK, May 13,-Peter Hegelman won the seventy-two-hour go-as-you-please race that has been in progress at the Grand | partially insured. Central Palace since Monday last, with a score of 407 miles. The record for the time is 416 miles 602 yards, made by Gus Guerrero in Boston, April 8, 1891. At one time in the race just finished, at the fifty-sixth hour. Hegelman was ahead of the record by two hundred yards, but he did not hold the advantage long. Of the sixteen men who started eight dnished, with scores to their credit as follows: Hegelman, 407.0; Glick, pairchase a piece of property near Akkrum 203.4; Tracey, 387.4; Cox. 382.0; Igo, 361.0; for this purpose. Day, 346.7; Barnes, 352.10; Geary, 224.5. Five of the men will get prizes of \$500, \$200, \$100, \$75 and \$50, and the other three will have their expenses paid. The affair has

there was plenty of enthusiasm during the closing hour. Gas Guerro attempted to break the indoor record of 9.52 for two miles. but his game leg went back on him and he gave up after running one mile.

McCoy's Challenge Accepted. BOSTON, May 13.-Replying to a challenge by Kid McCoy George Byers's managers to-day deposited \$500 as a guarantee to match Byers against McCoy at middle weight. Byers is satisfied to have the battle settled at Denver.

Annapolis Rowers Defeated. ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 13.-The Columbia University eight finished half a length in front of the naval cadets in a fierce struggle to-day after having pulled over the two mile course in 12 minutes and 48 sec-

PEORIA, ILL., DISTILLER.

His Testimony Before the Industrial Commission-Organization of the Whisky "Combines."

WASHINGTON, May 13.-The whisky rust was under investigation by the Induswitness. He outlined the history of all compinations of distillers in the United States from 1872 to the organization of the present so-called trust. The present organization is a combination of the American Spirits Manufacturing Company and the Standard Distilling and Distributing Company. The two companies co-operate, being controlled prac-The prettiest exhibition of pure sand and | tically by the same owners. Prior to the organization of the Standard Company the combination had not been sufficiently strong to hold up prices, but for the past year and until the first of the present month the combination had brought up prices to a profitajumpers, all Harvard men, was declared, he | ble margin. Within the past week or two, however, there had been a reduction below the cost of production.

Speaking of the organization of the Standgetting rival concerns in was to put a valmained, agreed to toss up for second, with pation on a distillery, pay the full value in his nerve and Harvard men cheered lustily. preferred stock and again in common stock. on May 11. Assistant Secretary of the Navy The final score was: Harvard 54% points; The capitalists behind the enterprise also Charles H. Allen has also consented to act get the full amount of the valuation in preamount in common stock. Witness said he knew this to be the method of dealing ond; Converse, Harvard, third. Time, 16 with owners of independent distilleries, for such an offer had come to him direct. As a matter of fact the distillery which he operated was, he said, simply leased and had Shot put, sixteen pounds: Won by Brown, been sold out from under him, so when his lease should expire he would be compelled either to go out of business or build. He about 75 per cent. of the output.

Mr. Clarke believed, in the end, all trusts would fall of their own weight and no legislation was necessary to control them. Speaking of the possible advantages enjoyed by the combination, Mr. Clarke said he could not say the trust had got any better rates than he had. "I would not want to say I had received any railroad rebates," he said. celved any," asked Mr. Livingstone. "That would depend upon what court I was before," was the reply.

Running broad jump: Won by Daly, Har- | would have been forced to close under competition because there were more of them than the business of the country justified. He said the large number of distilleries in Pole vault: Won by Yale, Harvard default- | to 1879 and that when this outside demand ceased there was necessarily an overpro-The commission has issued the following

request for information on the question of investigation of trusts and industrial combinations wishes to secure the fullest and headed by the Prince of Wales has been at | ject and to consider carefully the sugges-Newmarket all the week, where Tod Sloan, legislation. To that end the freest comthe American jockey, gave wonderful exhi- munication of facts and views is asked from bitions of horsemanship and gained some of all persons interested. Communications his victories by amazing skill and judgment. States Industrial Commission, Washing-

The Standard Chain Company. NEW YORK, May 13 .- A movement for the combination of manufacturers of machine-made chain is said to be under way. Articles of incorporation of the consolidated companies, which will be known as the Standard Chain Company, will, it is annourced to-day, be filed next week. The company will have a capital of about \$6,000,-000, and the stock will be equally divided besick and the latter is leaving on account of the publicity which the newspapers have given to his affairs, which he says, ruins his business. Grannan is reported to have Among the companies included in the consistency of the manufacture of the manufacture. Among the companies included in the consistency of the manufacture of the new publicity which the newspapers have company will make 95 per cent. Of the manufacture of the publicity which the newspapers have company will make 95 per cent. Of the manufacture of the manufacture of the publicity which the newspapers have company will make 95 per cent. Of the manufacture of the publicity which the newspapers have company will make 95 per cent. Of the manufacture of the manufactu solidation are William Woodhouse, Trenton,

> United American Glue Company. NEW YORK, May 13.-Preliminary plans Glue Company were effected in this city today. The new company will have a capital of \$35,000,000. The corporation will acquire the plants of the Armour Company, in Chicago; the American Glue Company, of Boston; the Diamond Glue Company and the United States Glue Company, of Milwaukee; the Delenay Company, of Philadelphia, and the United States Tanners' Company, which controls the output of Newark and Eastern tanneries. Plans have already been arranged for the erection of a glue factory at Newark, N. J. The new concern will also own the glue factory in Milwaukee, erected recently as a joint enterprise by Milwaukee tanneries. The glue stock of the packing house of Armour & Co. has been contracted for for fifteen years.

MANY ARE DEAD.

(Concluded from First Page.) ceived copies of the first edition and also to the New York Central Rallway.]

Engineer and Tramps Killed. ROSEBURG. Ore., May 13.-Through freight No. 222 on the Southern Pacific, which left here this morning, was wrecked near Glenbrook, four miles south of Riddle Station. Engineer James McCauley and two tramps were killed and Fireman James Merriman, of Portland, was badly injured.

Losses by Fire. CLEVELAND, O., May 13.-Fire, which broke out early this morning in the big department store of the Hoyt, Kent, Sefton Company on Euclid avenue, gutted the entire sixth floor. Goods on the lower floors were much damaged by water. The total loss will be about \$75,000. The guests in the Colonial They were doing so, but it was under a Hotel, which adjoins the department store were greatly frightened and many left the PARIS, May 14.-A fire broke out this morning in the Chamber of Commerce. A panic prevailed throughout the neighbor-At 3 o'clock the fire had been got TILSONBURG, Ont., May 13.—Fire at Fort Burwell early this morning destroyed twenty-seven business places and hotels.

Only one business house is left. MANCHESTER, N. H., May 14.—The large six-story Kennard business block was badly damaged this morning with a loss to owners and occupants of about \$100,000. LAKE MILLS, Ia., May 13.-Fire this aftrnoon destroyed two elevators, two warehouses and the stock yards. Loss \$60,000;

\$200,000 Life Insurance Policy. CHICAGO, May 13 .- F. H. Cooper, of this city, has secured a \$200,000 life insurance policy, made payable to John J. Mitchell and other trustees. Mr. Cooper desires to establish by means of this insurance a perpetual trust for the support of the aged people in his native town, Akkrum. Mr. Cooper intends to visit Holland this summer and

Beautiful Complexions by Using Champlin's Liquid Pearl, 50c, pink or white. not been a great pecuniary success, but Delightful, marvelous results; unequaled.

HIS VOYAGE TO NEW YORK MAY RE QUIRE FOUR MONTHS.

Cruiser Olympia to Leave Manila for Hong-Kong in About Ten Days-The Boston Also to Come Home.

MANILA, May 13.-Admiral Dewey will leave for the United States as soon as h can arrange his business here and give full instruction for the management of the fleet to his successor here. The United States cruiser Olympia, upon which Admiral Dewey will make the voyage home, will sail a leisurely trip, stopping at Mediterranean ports for some time to give the admiral, the officers of the ship and the crew an apportunity for rest. Like all the Olympia's company, Admiral Dewey is much run down by his long stay in a tropical port without change and under the rigid conditions incident to a war footing. All are delighted at the prospect of returning home. The officers have had little shore leave and have been obliged always to be on shipboard by sundown. The crew have had still less leave, and show the effects of a year spent on a hot ship under an enervataway from the bunch and finished six inches | trial Commission to-day. Mr. Charles C. | ing sun. The Olympia will proceed from Clarke, a distiller, of Peoria, Ill., was the | Manila to Hong-Kong, where a fortnight will be spent in transforming the mud-color which she was painted to white, having up to this time been unable to comply with the department's order to take on white paint. At Hong-Kong the cruiser will be coaled and provisioned for further journey. The Olympia will return by way of the Suez canal. It is expected the voyage will take four months. Admiral Dewey expects to retain his position on the United States Philippine commission. He will probably leave in about ten days.

A HOME FOR DEWEY. National Committee Named for Pur-

pose of Soliciting Funds. NEW YORK, May 13.-Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Frank A. Vanderlip has consented to act as chairman of a national committee to provide a residence in Washington for Admiral Dewey. This form of ard Company, Mr. Clarke said the method of testimonial of national gratitude was sug-, all such assaults on our cherished beliefs miral Upshur, retired, whose letter to the cash and then give the owner the value in Brooklyn Eagle in this regard was published dispute. True, our equanimity was from on behalf of the navy on the committee of which Mr. Vanderlip is chairman. The Ea-States Treasurer E. H. Roberts, Brig. Gen. States army, and Assistant Postmaster Gen-eral Perry S. Heath have been added to the Dewey house funds national committee. The Governors of all the States will be asked to serve on the national committee and newspapers all over the country will be requested which will be sent, either directly or through thought the present combination controlled | the Governors of the States in which the papers are located, to the national treasurer

Proposed Gift to Dewey. WASHINGTON, May 13 .- Secretary Long "Would you want to say you had not re- | for by popular subzscription: "The proposed only a great and deserved tribute to him, but an expression of the general gratitude of the people. It is something in which they will wish to share and in which the widow's mite will be as big as the millionaire's check. Handsome as is the gift, the

spirit that prompts it is still finer.'

The Boston to Come Home. WASHINGTON, May 13.-Admiral Dewey to-day cabled the Navy Department from Manila he had reconsidered his plans respecting the Boston and had concluded to States at once. The admiral said nothing further as to his own return to the United ment expressed some surprise at the announcement through the Associated Press cablegram from Manila that Dewey will occupy four months in the cruise, for this period is at least twice the time that would be required to make a straight cruise homeward. However, it is supposed he desires to delay his arrival in the United States until the hot weather of summer has passed, being already debilitated from his long exposure to the enervating heat of the Philippines. The admiral will stop about two weeks at Hong-Kong, cleaning his ship and fitting out thoroughly for his homeward trip. He will also make stops at Singapore, Malta and Gibraltar.

Cannot Visit San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, May 13 .- In response to a message from Mayor Phelan asking from Manila, Admiral Dewey cabled as follows: "With sincere thanks I must decline the hospitality of the Pacific coast. Condi-tion of my health makes absolute rest and quiet imperative.

MRS. CROSBY GUILTY.

Convicted of Manslaughter, but Son, Who Killed a Constable, Acquitted.

of Mrs. Crosby and her fourteen-year-old son, Thomas, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Nye, returned its verdict today. Mrs. Crosby was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. The boy was acquitted. The trial has been in progress for ten days and has excited considerable interest. Constable Nye was shot and killed by young Crosby as the officer was breaking in the door of Mrs. Crosby's home to serve a writ of ejectment upon the family. Mrs. Crosby was formerly quite wealthy.

Bertha Beilstein Insane. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 13.-Bertha Beilstein, who has been on trial for the murder of her mother, was acquitted at the opening of court to-day, the jury returning a verdict of not guilty by reason of insanity. Miss Beilstein displayed no emotion when the verdict was announced and was remanded to jail. The verdict caused no sur-

OBITUARY.

Aaron M. Powell, a Noted Anti-Slavery Agitator and Writer.

PHILADELPHIA, May 13.-Aaron M Powell, of New York, a noted anti-slavery agitator, temperance worker and writer, died suddenly to-day from heart diseases while in attendance on the opening session of the Friends' Yearly Meeting. The meeting was nearly over when Mr. Powell rose to speak. He spoke for a moment with much earnestness. Suddenly, without warning, the aged speaker fell forward from his seat and lay unconscious. All efforts at resuscitation were futile, and the end came in a few moments. He was about seventy years of age. For many years previous to the war of the rebellion he was editor of under control, but the building was partially | the Anti-Slavery Standard, which was later called the National Standard.

Earl of Wharneliffe. LONDON, May 13 .- The Earl of Wharncliffe is dead, aged seventy-two years. NEW ELECTRIC GUN.

Inventor Offered £75,000 by the Brit-

ish Admiralty. LONDON, May 14.-The Daily Mail this morning says the Admiralty has offered £75,000 for the electric gun invented by the

son of a Portland grocer. The gun throws

Catholic Knights Choose St. Louis. KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 13 .- The twelfth blennial meeting of the Supreme Council of the Catholic Knights of America came to a close to-night a few minutes before midnight, after St. Louis had been selected as the city of permanent headquarters and the rules to be observed by the sentrics—

these officers elected: President, P. J. O'Connor, Georgia; vice president, William Blekeslee, Texas; secretary, J. C. Carroll, Norfolk, Va.; treasurer, Girard Reiter, Vincennes, Ind.; trustees, William A. Kelley, Kansas City, and J. C. Purcell, Pennsylvania

NEW STEAMSHIPS.

International Navigation Company to Have Four More Liners.

NEW YORK, May 13.-The International Navigation Company announces it has under construction four first-class passenger steamers, two for the Red Star line service between New York and Antwerp and two | & for the Philadelphia-Liverpool service of the American line. All the boats are being | 2 bullt on the Clyde by the Clyde Bank Engineering and Shipbuilding Company. The Red Star steamers will be named Vaderland and Zeeland, reviving the names of two of the first steamers of that line. They will be 560 feet long, sixty feet beam and forty-two feet deep, with a measurement of about 12,000 tons displacement and when loaded of about 20,000 tons. They will be fitted with twin screws and bilge keels. They are intended to be seventeen-knot boats and make the passage in eight days. The two boats for the Philadelphia-Liverpool service will be named Merion and Haverford, and will be 530 feet long, fiftynine feet beam and thirty-nine feet deep and of 10,000 tons measurement. They will be fitted with twin screws and bilge keels and be capable of making about thirteen Movements of Steamers.

LIVERPOOL, May 13.-Arrived: Lucania and Nomadic, from New York. DEFENSE OF WASHINGTON. Kinsman Shows He Was the Author

NEW YORK, May 13 .- Arrived: St. Paul.

from Southampton; Statendam, from Rot-

CHRISTIANSAND, May 13,-Arrived: Hekla from New York for Copenhagen.

SOUTHAMPTON, May 13.-Arrived: Bre-

terdam. Sailed: Furnesia, for Glasgow.

men, from New York, for Bremen.

of the Farewell Address. New York Herald. Verily, this is an age of iconoclasm. We are assured by some that the plays attributed to Shakspeare were really written by Bacon, and others would fain have us believe that no such person as Homer and William Tell ever existed. We have borne time to time disturbed by sinister rumors in regard to George Washington's work as an author, but happily our peace of mind has now been restored, thanks to a kinsman of his, who shows that all such charges are groundless.
This kinsman is Bushrod C. Washington

and his article, which appears in the April Washington the Author of the Farewell Ad-The writer in this article shows clearly the circumstances under which Washington conceived the idea of writing such an address, and also tells how and to what extent he was assisted in the work by

Here, in brief, is the history of the docu-ment-On May 20, 1792, Washington wrote to Madison requesting him to "turn his thoughts" to a valedictory address. On June 20 Madison replied, sending the draft of a farewell address upon the lines indicated by Washington in his letter. There the matter rested for a time. Toward the close of his second term, however, Washington again became convinced that it would be proper for him to deliver such an address, and, as was natural, he looked for advice and assistance to Alexander Hamilhis late secretary of the treasury. What he did was to send him Madison's original draft, which he had somewhat altered, together with several other new hints. He suggested to Hamilton that the whole might be formed into a new draft, and ington, on receipt of this new draft, examined it carefully, and then wrote to Hamilton that he liked it much better than the

He also wrote: "I shall expunge all that is marked in the paper as unimportant, etc., and, as you perceive, some marginal notes written with a pencil, I pray you to give the sentiments so noticed mature consideration." He subsequently wrote, requesting that a clause be inserted upon the subject of education, which was duly done, and in States. The officials of the Navy Depart- been made by Washington, the address was Soon afterward the claim was made that Hamilton was the sole author of the address, but this was manifestly impossible

since he to some extent incorporated Mad-

ison's original draft with his own. Since

then the inception and substance of the address were clearly Washington's and the literary style was largely that of Madison, what it may be asked, was the distinctive work of Hamilton? According to Bushrod Washington, his work "was that of the lapidary upon "It was his to transform the draft of Washington and to reproduce from it a luminous and unique gem. He arranged the draft with a logical sequence that gave to the thoughts of Washington their fullest force and effect. This was the inimitable work of Hamilton, which it was the wisdom of Washington to secure, and the fame of

which his grateful countrymen will ever award to Hamilton. In conclusion, Bushrod Washington, says: The thought and the expression of Washlarly intermingled in the Farewell Address, besides some suggestions by Judge Jay, to whom, at Washington's request, it was on one occasion shown. But the origin of the are burned. A third man is in a circular address was not in Madison, Hamilton or hall called the "rotunda." Jay. It was conceived in the mind and nur-tured in the heart of Washington. Some of the finest expressions in the paper were ex-Jay. It was conceived in the mind and nurclusively his own, and in several instances | till daylight arrives in the summer. the Farewell Address, but the evidence is conclusive that Washington was, in the only

applicable sense of the term, the author The truth seems to be that Washington was as much the author of the Farewell Address as Michael Angelo was the creator of St. Peter's at Rome and Solomon of the Temple at Jerusalem. In the document, as in the edifices, the work of more than one mind is apparent, but in each case there has been a master mind, and by common consent the honor of being the creator has been awarded to him.

GUARD THE BANK OF ENGLAND. Provisions That Make a "Hold-Up" Almost Impossible. London Letter in Philadelphia Times.

When the London public read the other lay that Henry G. Taylor had entered the Bank of England single-handed and attempted to hold up the bank with a single small revolver it was taken as a joke that any one should attempt so foolish an undertaking-was too much to believe-such an enterprise was too Quixotic, even less likely to be productive than tilting at wind-But, nevertheless, it was true. It may be Mr. Taylor was experimenting for his own amusement. Perhaps he did not know. Whatever was his thought, it is not likely that another will try it soon again. No one man would be so foolish as to attempt to "hold up" the "Old Lady of Threadneedle street" if he knew the care with which the venerable dame is protected. Vobody has ever robbed her and the likelihood is that nobody ever will. She was in danger in 1780 at the time of the Gordon riots, and since then soldiers have guarded her nightly. The Scots guards are doing that just now. You may see them any afternoon about 5

clock marching along the Embankment to twenty-nine soldiers and one drummer boy, under the command of a subaltern. The first piece of work gone through by the men on their arrival is to receive their wages for the night's watch-the privates and the drummer boy 1 shilling, the corporals another 6 pence and the sergeants half a crown, making in all 38 shillings, or a little over £500 a year, which cannot be regarded as an extravagant sum to pay for the safe-guarding of the millions in the bank's cof-

but the aggregate can scarcely exceed £1,000. Each man receives a blanket, so that he may sleep, when not doing sentry duty, on the wooden guard bed. The sentries wear great coats of an antiquated cut and decorated with very large buttons, with the words "Bank of England" stamped on them.

A selection of books is supplied for the diversion of the men and there is also a small library for the use of the officer. In rooms an explosive shot five and a half miles with adjacent to the quarters of his men the commanding officer is accommodated. These rooms are decidedly convenient and comfortable. The officer, like the remainder of the a velocity of two seconds. It is noiseless picket, can on no pretense whatever leave the bank premises until his term of duty is

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extensive business till near midnight, when he departs. The regulations provide that no more than two pints of porter shall be drunk by any one man.

The duties imposed upon the picket are not heavy, as the chances of a serious cttempt on the bank are very remote. The walls of the building are thick, the cellars are deep and the task of any one who should essay to run away with a few millions would be difficult indeed even if he lions would be difficult indeed, even if he could gain an entrance into the tuilding. But bold burglars have done some of the most astounding things before this, and there is always the possibility of trouble. Failing this "emergency call" the majority of the soldiers merely perform "sentry go once a night for an hour. The sentries are posted chiefly in the rooms inside the bank. One of them, however, paces up and down one of the courts, where it is reported that

the sentences of Hamilton were measurably officer goes his "rounds" at 11 o'clock, when CHICAGO, May 13.—The jury in the case improved by his interlineations or erasures. he visits each sentry, and having heard every man cry out, "All's well," he retires eminent services in the preparation of to his rooms, and probably to bed. He is seen no more till the picket parades to "dismount" in the morning. The hour of departure is 6 o'clock in ummer and 7 or a little later in winter.

At the latter hour an official arrives to take over the blankets, great coats and library. and the senior sergeant completes his report by inserting a clause therein affirming that these articles are "present and in good This done, he hands the report to the drummer boy to leave at the horse guards

as the soldiers pass through Whitehall on their homeward march. Besides the soldiers there are numerous officials on duty in the bank by night. Caracious chairs are provided for their use. The picket is not entirely alone, therefore. And even if there were no human beings near at hand there are always the black beetles for company-creatures of extraordinary size, if rumor goes for anything.

TAKING A TROIKA RIDE.

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We were promised our first Russian experience in the shape of a troika ride. A troika is a superb affair. It makes the tiny sledges which take the place of cabs and are used for all ordinary purposes look even more like toys than usual. But the sledges are great fun, and so cheap that it is an extravagance to walk. A course costs only 20 kopecks-10 cents. The sledges are set so low that you can reach out and touch the snow with your hand, and they are so small that the horse is in your lap and the coachman in your pocket. He simply turns in his seat to hook the fur robe to the back of your seat-only it has no back. If you fall you fall clear to the ground. The horse is far, far above you in your humble position, and there is so little room the bank. They number thirty-four, of that two people can with difficulty stow whom two are sergeants, two corporals, themselves in the narrow seat. If a brother and sister or a husband and wife drive together the man, in sheer self-defense, is obliged to put his arm around the woman no matter how distasteful it may be. Not that she would ever be conscious of whether he did it or not, for the amount of clothes one is obliged to wear in Russia de-stroys any sense of touch.

The horses are sharp shod, but in a way quite different from ours. The spikes on their shoes are an inch long and dig into the ice with perfect security, but it makes The 38 shillings, however, is exclusive of the horses look as if they wore French heels. Even over ice like sheer glass they go at a which is not supposed to be known publicly, but the aggregate can scarcely exceed £1,000. an air charged with champagne, like the wine caves of Rintz. Driving in the country we could not tell how fast we were going. But in town whizzing past other carriages, hearing the shouts of the idvosjik "Troika," and seeing the people scatter and the sledges turn out (for a troika has the right of way), we realized at what a pace we were going.

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